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SUBJ: DANISH REACTION TO PRESIDENT'S TALK WITH HARTLING

1. WHEN DCM CALLED APRIL 9 ON OTTO BORCH, NEW POLITICAL DIRECTOR AT MFA, LATTER IMMEDIATELY REFERRED TO PRESIDENT'S DISCUSSION WITH PRIMIN HARTLING IN PARIS APRIL 5. HE READ SUMMARY FROM LENGTHY REPORTING CABLE FROM DANISH AMBASSADOR IN PARIS AND SAID THAT IT WAS OBVIOUS FROM TENOR OF THIS REPORT THAT PRIMIN HAD BEEN VERY PLEASED WHAT THE PRESIDENT HAD RECEIVED HIM AND HAD DISCUSSED FRANKLY WITH HIM THE MAJOR PROBLEMS IN WHICH THE TWO COUNTRIES HAD A MUTUAL INTEREST. IT HAD NOT YET BEEN POSSIBLE TO OBTAIN HARTLING'S FIRST-HAND REACTON, BORCH SAID, BECAUSE HE HAD PROCEEDED DIRECTLY FROM PARIS TO VENICE FOR AN EASTER VACATION. BORCH WANTED US TO KNOW, HOWEVER, THAT THERE WAS GREAT SATISFACTION IN COPENHAGEN

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AT THE MEETING WHICH WAS REGARDED AS PUTTING THE SEAL ON THE

RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TRADITIONALLY CLOSE RELATIONS  
BETWEEN DENMARK AND THE UNITED STATES.

2. COMMENT: THE TONE OF BORCH'S COMMENTS MADE IT EVIDENT THAT  
THE DANES ARE A LITTLE FLATTERED THAT HARTLING WAS THE ONLY REPRESENTATIVE OF A SMALL COUNTRY OFFICIALLY RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT.

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